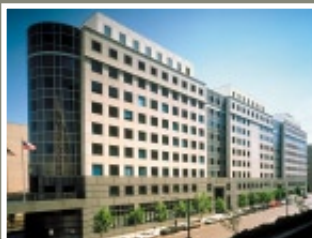




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Using the Climate Analysis Indicators Tool (CAIT) for Climate Policy Analysis

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Thursday, August 12, 2004

Noon – 1 p.m. (in Washington, D.C.)

10 – 11 a.m. (videoconference in Golden, Colo.)

The Climate Analysis Indicators Tool (CAIT) is an information and analysis tool on global climate change developed by the World Resources Institute (WRI). CAIT, which was first released in December 2003, provides a comprehensive and comparable database of greenhouse gas emissions data (including all major sources and sinks) and other climate-relevant indicators. CAIT also provides country-level indicators for many socioeconomic and natural factor measurements that contribute to the climate policy discussion. Among other features, CAIT allows country-level comparisons using a range of indicators, correlations between indicators, and trend analysis. It can be used to analyze a wide range of climate-related data questions, promote better access to information, and to help support future policy decisions made under the Climate Convention and in other fora. This presentation will cover the range of indicators and types of analysis that CAIT makes available and will also include a brief demonstration.

Tim Herzog is a climate policy analyst at the World Resources Institute. Along with his other responsibilities, he is working on the ongoing development of WRI's Climate Analysis Indicators Tools (CAIT). His work on CAIT focuses on the development of new data sets, technologies, and analytical approaches. Other recent work has included the use of regression analysis to study the correlation between natural factors and greenhouse gas emissions, as well as the use of decomposition analysis to study changes in emissions over time. Herzog holds a B.S. from Bethel College in Minnesota, and a MPP from the Georgetown Public Policy Institute.



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